Docket No.: 19603/3243 (CRF D-2601C)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Collmer et al.

Serial No. 09/825,414

Cnfrm. No.: 2043

Filed April 3, 2001

For DNA MOLECULES AND POLYPEPTIDES OF

PSEUDOMONAS SYRINGAE HRP

PATHOGENICITY ISLAND AND THEIR

USES

Examiner:

Anne R. Kubelik, Ph.D.

Art Unit:

1638 RECEIVED

DEC 1 0 2002

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

P.O. Box 2327

Arlington, VA 22202

Sir:

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified application are:

[X]Response to Restriction Requirement;

[X]Request for Five-Month Extension of Time; and

[X]A check in the amount of \$980.00 to cover the extension of time fee; and

A self-addressed, prepaid postcard for acknowledging receipt.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit [X] any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1138

A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: December 4, 2002

Edwin V. Merkel

Registration No. 40,087

Nixon Peabody LLP Clinton Square, P.O. Box 31051 Rochester, New York 14603 Telephone: (585) 263-1128 Facsimile: (585) 263-1600

Certificat of Mailing - 37 CFR 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office P.O. BOX 2327 Arlington, VA 22202, on the date below.

e C. Wirszyla